

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
	)	Examiner: Lam P. PHAM
James J. GENOVA, et al.	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 2612
Application No.: 10/735,718	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 3456
Filed: December 16, 2003	)	
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For: SELF-PROTECTED FIRE-SENSING	)	
ALARM APPARATUS AND	)	Date: August 18, 2006
METHOD	)	

**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 20, 2006, Applicants make the following remarks.